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HUMAN RECOMBINANT ADENOVIRUS  
TO BE USED IN GENE THERAPY

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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Office Action mailed October 7, 003, the three-month period for response to which expires on January 7, 2004.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.